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Has many aches and pains caused by weakness and falling, or other displacement, of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary specks or dark spots floating before the eyes, gnawing sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable drains from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness. If any considerable number of the above symptoms are present there is no remedy that will give quicker relief or a more permanent cure than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It has a record of over forty years of cure. It is the most potent invigorating and strengthening medicine known to medical science. It is made of the pycnic extracts of native medicinal roots found in our forests and containing no alcohol or harmful or habit-forming drugs. Its ingredients are all printed on the bottle wrapper and attested under oath as correct.

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Virginia State Fair, Richmond, October 4th-9th.

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## CHOSE HER FIRST LOVE.

After invitations had been sent out for her marriage to Louis Edward Kapler, of Washington, and Knoxville, Tenn., society had eagerly anticipated the wedding, Miss Vera Blanche Parham, a belle of Knoxville, eloped Saturday night with S. Donald Williams, a young lawyer of Tampa, Fla., and married him.

Miss Parham, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Luther Parham, was graduated from a fashionable school in Washington in 1908, at the age of 17. It was there she met Kapler through his sister, who attended the same school. She visited the home of the Kaplers in Virginia and the engagement was welcomed by both families.

Last winter Williams, then just graduated from the law department of the University of Tennessee, and Miss Parham renewed their acquaintance. They had been sweethearts in their younger days.

Learning that Miss Parham's engagement to another man had been announced, young Williams hurried to Knoxville. Miss Parham had been living with an aunt, as her younger sister is suffering from diphtheria. On the trip to the dressmaker's she met Williams, apparently by chance, just as he drove out of a garage in a big auto, and accepted his apparently casual invitation for a ride.

Twenty miles out of the city the machine broke down and the young people were kept waiting until another was sent from Knoxville, reaching them at 10 o'clock. Then they changed their destination from Dandridge to Morristown, which they reached after midnight and where they were married.

Mr. Parham got wind of the elopement and attempted to follow the couple, but was unable to get a machine.

## THE PRESIDENT IN UTAH.

After a two-days' stay in Salt Lake City President Taft has resumed his journey toward the Pacific coast. He left Utah's capital at noon yesterday, stopped off at Ogden long enough to deliver an open-air address and visit the Ogden Canyon and then started for Butte, Mont., over the Oregon Short Line. The president arrived at the mining center early this morning and will spend the entire day visiting the great copper properties and smelters there.

The president's Sunday programme in Salt Lake City was carried through as originally planned. In his address in the Mormon Tabernacle the president appeared for the first time in the role of a preacher. He selected a text from Proverbs: "A soft answer turneth away wrath, but grievous words stir up anger."

The president's sermon was a plea for more courtesy and politeness in every day life, for a following of the example set for us by the peoples of the Orient. In the sermon a good many people saw a gentle but effective criticism by the president of the bickering and mud-throwing that had been going on between the Mormons and the anti-Mormons in reference to his entertainment in Salt Lake City.

While the president was pleading for politeness in the tabernacle, one or two Protestant ministers were delivering sermons in other parts of the city on what they called the "president's mistake" in reviewing the schoolchildren and speaking in the Mormon Tabernacle on Sunday.

## TORCH PARADE BY "DRYS"

The Antislavery League held a monster mass meeting in Roanoke Saturday afternoon in a skating rink. An address was delivered by Judge Covington, author of the Georgia prohibition law. Great enthusiasm prevailed. Judge Covington will speak again tonight.

Four days before the election both sides are claiming victory. The "drys" seem to be more active and are presenting their cause daily through the newspapers. They are also holding public meetings. The saloon men are working quietly and have men and women making a house-to-house canvass.

On the eve of the election, Wednesday evening prayer meeting will be held in all the churches at 6.30 o'clock. At 7 o'clock the men will start to the business center with torchlights, where a monster parade will assemble and march through the principal streets, ending at the skating rink, where a great mass-meeting will be held. The prayer services will be conducted by the women of the city.

It is claimed by adherents of the "dry" cause that 2,000 men have signed their intention to join the torchlight procession.

## MARRIES SIX; DESERTS FIVE.

When he found marriage certificates in his wife's trunk, Frederick Chapman, of Kansas City, Mo., who believed he had married an unsophisticated country girl, investigated further and discovered what he considered evidence that Mrs. Chapman had not been divorced from her last husband. Chapman confronted his wife with the certificates, and she confessed to previous alliances. He then preferred a charge of bigamy against her and she was arrested. She is held for trial in the criminal court. According to an alleged confession to the prosecuting attorney, Mrs. Chapman admitted having been married to five men besides Chapman, and said he had deserted each of them.

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## FACE HUNG UPON DICE.

The face of a man, a woman, and their 5-week-old baby hung Saturday in Chicago upon a throw of dice. Albert Christman, 49 years old, a barber, out of work, cast the dice. The outcome of his throw was that he is dead, his wife is dying at a hospital and the baby is being cared for by neighbors.

According to Mrs. Christman, her husband had had no job for several weeks. When he came home Saturday evening his wife asked him for money.

"Twenty cents is all I have," he said. Christman went into the kitchen and took down a dice box. He determined that if two aces should appear, he would kill all. Should two sixes show, he would look for work. He cast the dice and two aces lay on the table.

"We will go out together and buy food," he said to his wife as he reappeared in the front room where she awaited him. She took the baby in her arms, and as she stood near the door Christman roared at her and stabbed her six times. She fell to the floor, and he ran into the hallway and drank carbolic acid.

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Pitt and Queen streets, store room... \$18 00

117 south St. Asaph street, 9 rooms and bath... \$15 00

121 south St. Asaph street... \$30 00

1003 Duke street, 6 rooms and bath... \$15 00

1315 Duke street, 1st floor, 7 rooms and bath... \$10 00

1315 Duke street, 4th floor, 6 rooms and bath... \$5 00

602 King street store room

401 north West street, 6 rooms and bath... \$15 00

403 north West street, 6 rooms and bath... \$15 00

405 north West street, 6 rooms and bath... \$15 00

407 north West street, 6 rooms and bath... \$15 00

409 north West street, 6 rooms and bath... \$15 00

411 north West street, 6 rooms and bath... \$15 00

1315 Princess street, 6 rooms and bath \$15 00

1317 Princess street, 6 rooms and bath \$15 00

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